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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	
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Kim et al.)	Art Unit: 1631
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Application No. 09/918,938)	Examiner: Marschel, Ardin H.
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Filing Date: July 31, 2001)	Confirmation No. 3477
)	
For: VISUALIZATION AND MANIPULATION)	
OF BIOMOLECULAR RELATIONSHIPS)	
USING GRAPH OPERATORS)	

RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2003, please consider the following remarks.

Remarks

Response to Election Requirement

The Office Action requires election of a species from among numerous species of biological molecules listed in claim 28. In response, applicants elect for examination carbohydrates, with traverse.